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**TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS INCLUDING CORRECTED DRAWINGS**

Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified U.S. patent application are the formal drawings, Figures 1-3 (3 sheets), including changes required by the Examiner's Amendment attached to the Notice of Allowance mailed June 30, 2004. Specifically, in Fig. 3, the wording of block 304 was replaced with "reading only enough of a device address of the serial data word to determine if the serial data word is addressed to the 1<sup>st</sup> device ." No new matter has been added.

Respectfully submitted,

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